IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Appeal No. 592 of 2005
In
Notice of Motion No. 769 of 2005
In
Arbitration Petition (Lodging) No. 137 of 2005

M/s. Sonal Builders and
Contractors & Anr. .. Appellants

V/s.

Cine Costume & Make Up
Artists Association .. Respondents

Mr. R.V. Govilkar i/b. Mr. K.H. Giri for the Appellants
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CORAM : DR. S. RADHAKRISHNAN &
S.C. DHARMADHIKARI, JJ.
DATED : 05.09.2005.

P.C.:-

1. Heard the learned counsel for the Appellants and the Respondents. In the above, the Award is dated 1.10.2003. It appears that the Award was sent by the learned Arbitrator with his covering letter dated 22.1.2004 to the Appellants. The Appellants have not collected the said Award, which was sent by Registered Post A.D. and now the Appellants contend that they came to know of the Award only on 5.10.2004. Even then, the Petition has been lodged only on 11.3.2005. Subsequent to the letter dated 22.1.2004, the learned Arbitrator had also sent a letter dated 10.2.2004 to the learned Advocate for the Appellants, regarding the Award. The Petition has been lodged on 11.3.2005. It is clearly time barred and we do not find anything illegal or perverse in the order of the learned Single Judge, declining to interfere in the above. Appeal is devoid of merits, same stands dismissed.

(DR. S. RADHAKRISHNAN, J.)

(S.C. DHARMADHIKARI, J.)